in this act, Somerset county shall be divided into three com-

missioners' districts, in the following manner, to wit: election

districts number one, two, three, and nine, to compose the first

commissioners' district; election districts number four, five, seven, eight, and ten; to compose the second commissioners'

district; and election district number six to constitute the third commmissioners' district, and that two of the said per-

sons to be voted for as commissioners as aforesaid, shall be residents of the first commissioners' district, two shall be resi-

dents of the second commissioners' district, and two shall be

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No. 2.

No. 3.

Residence of commissioners.

Style.

votes.

returns.

To be

Result declared.

Powers conferred, 1837, ch. 87.

residents of the third commissioners' district, and the said six persons shall be styled Commissioners for Somerset county. and the judges of elections for each district, or a majority of them, shall certify and return, in form and manner similar to Return of their certificates and return of the election of delegates as aforesaid, the number of votes given in the said several election districts for each commissioner; and the returning judges Election of election shall meet, on the Friday next succeeding the said election in March, at the court-house in Princess Anne, in the said county, and when so met, they shall ascertain and certify the number of votes given as aforesaid for commissioners, the said certificate shall be made out and filed by the said returning judges of election, in form similar to the certificates of the election of delegates, to be delivered to the clerk of the county court, whose duty it shall be to record the same, and the two recorded. persons, resident as aforesaid in the first commissioners' district, and the two resident in the second commissioners' district, and the two resident in the third commissioners' district, who shall be ascertained by the said returning judges to have received the largest number of votes in the whole county at the said election, shall be declared to be duly elected commissioners for Somerset county; and the said commissioners, elected as aforesaid, shall have, use and exercise all the powers and authority vested in the commissioners for Somerset county, by the act of assembly of December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, chapter eighty-seven, entitled, an act to abolish the levy court, provide for the appointment of commissioners for Somerset county, and prescribing their duties, and shall be subject to all the liabilities contemplated Duties. by the said act, and shall in all respects comply with the requisitions and conditions of the said act, except as herein otherwise provided; and the said commissioners, at their first meeting after their election and qualification, shall be divided into three classes, consisting of two in each class, the two persons elected commissioners from the first commissioners' be classified district shall constitute the first class, and shall continue in

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